Victorian Heritage Database Report

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ISABEL B

Location

Point Cook, beneath wreck of Queenscliff, RAAF jetty

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

S778

Date lost

06 May 1919

Construction material

Wood

Hull

hull type not confirmed - likely to be wooden

Propulsion

Motor

Length/Breadth/Depth

0.00 / 0.00 / 0.00

Date lost

06 May 1919

Cargo

Not known

Weather conditions

Heavy storm

Cause of loss

Sank during storm while moored overnight

VHR history

Sports divers inspecting the wreck of the Queenscliffe in 1970 found it resting on an unknown wreck.

This may be the wreck of the Isabel B, a motor launch which was lost in a storm while moored to the jetty during the evening of 5 April 1919, and found to be wrecked on the morning of 6/5/1919. The launch belonged to the Central Flying School. All serviceable parts including the engine are recorded to have been removed from the wreck.